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ODESSA MAN SENTENCED TO FEDERAL PRISON ON DRUG CHARGE

United States Attorney Johnny Sutton announced that this morning, 27-year-old Darrell Tyrone Caufield of Odessa, Texas, was sentenced to 20 years in federal prison for possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance.

In addition to the prison term, United States District Judge Robert Junell ordered that Caufield be placed under supervised release for a period of 10 years after completing his prison term.

According to documents filed with the Court, narcotics detectives with the Odessa Police Department searched Caufield's residence on August 24, 2005, and found him in possession of more than 50 grams of crack cocaine. During the search, Caufield fled but was apprehended after a brief foot pursuit. On November 18, 2005, Caufield pled guilty to the drug charge.

This case was prosecuted for the government by Assistant United States Attorney Glenn Roque-Jackson.

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